203 North LaSalle Street Suite 1800 Chicago, Illinois 60601-1293 www.piperrudnick.com

PHONE (312) 368-4000 FAX (312) 236-7516 WRITER'S INFORMATION

david.fein@piperrudnick.com PHONE(312) 368-3462 FAX (312) 630-7418

December 28, 2001

VIA e-Docket

Donna M. Caton Chief Clerk Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Capitol Avenue P.O. Box 19280 Springfield, IL 62701

Re: Commonwealth Edison Company, Petition for approval of delivery services tariffs and tariff revisions and of residential delivery services implementation plan, and for approval of certain other amendments and additions to its rates, terms and conditions

ICC Docket No. 01-0423

Dear Ms. Caton:

Enclosed please find the original Draft Proposed Order of AES NewEnergy, Inc., Blackhawk Energy Services, L.L.C. and Enron Energy Services, Inc. pertaining to the above-captioned proceeding.

Please note that while this Draft Proposed Order only discusses "Solution Option Two" in our Initial and Reply Briefs, the ARES Coalition continues to believe that "Solution Option One" is the more preferable approach. Additionally, given the ease of implementing Solution Option One, providing a Draft Proposed Order for that solution did not seem necessary or appropriate. Furthermore, failure to include in the Draft Proposed Order a specific argument that is made in the testimony or briefs of the ARES Coalition should be construed as a waiver of that argument.

Donna M. Caton December 28, 2001 Page 2

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

PIPER MARBURY RUDNICK & WOLFE

David I. Fein

DIF/ys Enclosure

cc: Service List